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TRANSMITTAL OF SUBSTITUTE SEQUENCE LISTING AND
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This amendment is submitted in response to the Notice to Comply with Sequence Requirements mailed from the Patent Office on July 22, 2002. A copy of the Notice to Comply is enclosed.

Transmitted herewith is a copy of a Substitute "Sequence Listing" in paper form (sheets 1/6 through 6/6) for the above-identified patent application as required by 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.825(a) and 1.821(c), and a copy of the Substitute "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form as required by 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.825(b) and 1.821(e).

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As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(b), Applicants' Agent hereby states that the contents of the Substitute "Sequence Listing" in paper form and in the computer readable form submitted herewith are the same and, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(a), also states that the submission includes no new matter.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification

Please replace the "Sequence Listing" filed on June 18, 2002 (sheets 1/5 through 5/5) with the attached Substitute "Sequence Listing" (sheets 1/6 through 6/6) comprising SEQ ID NOs: 1-20.

REMARKS

Applicants' Agent has corrected the Substitute "Sequence Listing" to recite proper "feature" information.

In addition, the Sequence Listing previously submitted by Applicants' Agent on June 18, 2002 contained an error in SEQ ID NO: 7 in that the first amino acid in the sequence incorrectly read "Thr" instead of "Tyr". Applicants have corrected this error in the Substitute Sequence Listing submitted herewith. Support for this sequence can be found in the specification on page 34, line 30. No new matter has been added.

Respectfully submitted,
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